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Re: New U.S. Patent Application
Title: WATER-IN-OIL EMULSION FOUNDATION
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Sir:

We enclose the following papers for filing in the United States Patent and Trademark Office in connection with the above patent application.

1. Application - 44 pages, including title page and abstract, and including 5 independent claims and 99 claims total.
2. Information Data Sheet (2 pgs.).
3. Information Disclosure Statement Under 37 C.F.R. § 1.97(b) (4 pgs.)/Form PTO 1449 (2 pgs.)/French Search Report (3 pgs.)/Documents (28).
4. Claim for Priority/Certified copy of French Patent Application No. 02 07937, filed June 26, 2002, and certified copy of French Patent Application No. 02 12190, filed October 2, 2002.
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Basic Application Filing Fee						\$ 750.00
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Total Claims	99	-	20	79	X \$ 18	\$ 1,422.00
Independent Claims	5	-	3	2	X \$ 84	\$ 168.00
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Applicants also claim the right to priority under 35 U.S.C. § 119(e) based on U.S. Provisional Application No. 60/401,028, filed August 6, 2002, in the United States.

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The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge any additional filing fees due and any other fees due under 37 C.F.R. § 1.16 or § 1.17 during the pendency of this application to our Deposit Account No. 06-0916.

Respectfully submitted,

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